UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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GORGE RIVERA 88 MORICHES AVENUE Mastic, NY 11950

Plaintiff,

08 Civ. 4853 (RWS)

-against-

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAILROAD 347 Madison Avenue New York, New York 10017

Defendant.

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METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAILROAD COMPANY ("Metro-North") is a public benefit corporation. *See* N.Y. Pub. Auth. L. §§1263 (1) 1264(2), et seq. (McKinney 1999) Accordingly, Rule 7.1 does not apply to Metro-North.

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